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Per reftel instructions, on August 28, we shared reftel survey on measures against illiteracy with Deputy Director Pankin in the MFA's International Organizations (IO) Department and with Deputy Director Smirnov in the MFA's North American Department. On August 30, the IO Department advised they had asked the Ministry of Education and Science to complete the brief survey. The IO Department expects to be able to submit the survey to UNESCO before September 14.

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